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MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

—Ginsco-Cum.—Decidedly the most brilliant wedding that has ever taken place in the history of Williamsburg was that of Rev. John Bell Gibson, of Stanford, and Miss Mattie Curd, of that place, at 10 o'clock Wednesday evening. Neither time nor money had been spared and the Episcopal church, in which they were made husband and wife, was, besides being handsomely decorated with evergreens and laurels, a perfect sea of rare flowers. The doors were opened at 8 o'clock and in a quarter of an hour the spacious building was literally jammed with friends and relatives anxious to see the popular young couple take the holy vows. Just as the clock was striking the appointed hour, the ushers, Messrs. Frye, of Indiana, and Walton, of Stanford, proceeded up each aisle, followed by the bridegroom and bride and Miss Mamie Owen, of Owensboro, and J. H. Baughman, of Stanford, on the left side and Miss Fannie O'Marra, of Williamsburg, and Joel Embury, of Stanford, and Miss Alma Osborne, of Maysville, and John Bright, of Stanford, on the right. Standing under a large and beautifully arranged arch in front of the pulpit, the two were joined till death shall part by Elder J. G. Livingston, in a short but very impressive ceremony. The newly made couple then marched down the right aisle, followed by the attendants, keeping step to Mendelssohn's wedding march, which had been splendidly executed by Miss Alice O'Marra during the entire ceremony, and immediately took carriages to Mrs. Curd's, the mother of the bride, where an elegant reception was given. The bridal costume consisted of white silk en train, silk fish-net overdress plaited and trimmed in pure white ribbon, pointed bodice, net sleeves cut short, and the conventional veil of orange blossoms. She held in her hand a snow-white Bible and presented a picture of beauty and purity. Her tresson is elegant and consists of reception dresses, church dresses, traveling dresses, tea gowns and the like, all made by skilled hands out of the finest goods purchasable. The three lady attendants were handsomely attired and added splendor to the brilliant scene. Miss Curd, or now Mrs. Gibson, is a lady of rare accomplishments and beauty and is known to be as lovely of character as she is of face and figure. She is the second daughter of the late wealthy merchant, Mr. A. J. Curd, and is an heiress with her innumerable good qualities. Mr. Gibson is to be congratulated on winning the heart of so excellent and elegant a young lady and that their future is a bright one none can doubt. Of Mr. Gibson it is unnecessary to speak. His four years' pastorship of the Christian church here has proven him to be a man of sterling worth and ability. He is a genial gentleman, a good preacher and a most excellent pastor and in every way fitted to make his beautiful wife a fond and loving helpmeet. They were the recipients of many elegant presents, including a silk quilt from the Aid Society of the Christian church, \$50 in gold from the ladies of the Christian church, a handsome water service from the gentlemen attendants and an appropriate present from each of the lady waiters and a number of other gifts both useful and ornamental. After the delightful reception tendered by Mrs. Curd, the happy couple left at 12:30 a. m. for this place and have taken rooms at Mr. Gibson's former boarding place, Mr. S. J. Embury's, where another reception will be given them tonight. Mr. and Mrs. Gibson start out in life under circumstances most propitious and we predict for them a long and happy life, doing deeds of kindness for all who visit their hearthstone.

—On the 20th of May, Mr. H. B. Baker, of Eubanks, to Miss Edith Morgan, more popularly known as Sunshine. The many friends of the above couple will be surprised to learn of the event. The two went South with a fishing party and were married, the groom intending to keep it a secret from his home friends until the completion of his home ready for the home coming of his fair bride, but news travels rapidly and the secret was soon out. Mr. Baker is a son of Dr. Baker, of Palaski, a druggist of much note, while his bride is a daughter of Daniel Morgan, one of Palaski's wealthiest farmers. Miss Morgan is highly accomplished, being an excellent teacher and author; in either position it is safe to say there is no summit to which she may not climb. Having been such a good worker she will be sadly missed from the Teachers' Association. Literary attainments with her are crowned with the trio—beauty of face, mind and heart. May both live long and enjoy the bright life opening before them, for Sunshine is the light of all households.

—In Garrard county on the 19th at the residence of Green Sires, J. W. Lawson and Miss Fanny Huddleston; attendants, Joseph Lawson and Miss Flora Salliers, Roy Lawson and Miss Fannie Lawson. Mr. Lawson is a citizen of Lincoln county and is a steady, sober and hard working young man, while his bride is said to be both handsome and industrious.

—Henry Wolford, treasurer of Louisville, celebrated the 57th anniversary of his marriage Sunday.

—Judge T. J. Scott, of Richmond, and Miss Ida Welch, of Nicholasville, were married Wednesday.

—Mr. John C. Tucker and Miss Fannie Cash were married at Rev. A. J. Daugherty's on the 19th.

—Miss Sarah Crow, of Jackson, O., was recently married to a Mr. Bussard, a minister named Gooding officiating.

—Six members of the staff of the Atlanta Constitution married last week because Editor-in-Chief Grady decided that marriage was not a failure.

—Hon. W. T. Tevis, of Richmond, and Miss Belle Root, of Breckinridge county, were married on the 12th. The affair was a profound secret and took the public here by surprise.—Climax.

FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—In Chicago July wheat is selling at 78¢.

—Bohan, of Mercer, bought of Robert Land, a pair of work mules for \$287.

—A ram recently sheared at Metanora-Mich., yielded 38½ pounds of wool at one clip.

—Raceland won the Great Suburban at Sheephead, Terra Cotta 24, Volmteer 34.

—A Boston sugar refinery has purchased 25,000 tons of Cuban sugar at 5 cents a pound.

—James Wheeler, of Fayette, bought in this and Jessamine counties a bunch of heifers at \$12 to \$13.50.

—Wanted at once, a lot of cattle on 70 acres of first-class grass. Good water and shade. Stephen Lurch, 3t.

—Joel McDowell, of Fayette county, bought about 25 good mare mules in Mercer county at from \$75 to \$100 per head.

—The coffee crop is said to be unusually large and that the prices will be correspondingly low, unless a trust gets in its work.

—A colt has been loaded near Columbus, Ind., which has neither forelegs nor shoulders and is supported entirely on its hind legs.

—A mare 38 years old, owned by Dr. Ray, near Paris, has foaled a colt "four feet two inches high and a splendid looking young animal."

—The State Grange of Illinois offers a prize of \$10,000 to the inventor of a device to attach to reapers that will bind wheat and oats with straw.

—The transportation companies are incapable of moving the immense peach crop in South Carolina. The yield is reported large from all sections.

—George H. King sold to Herrin, of Rockcastle, a bunch of yearling steers at \$11 and a fine brood mare for \$160.

—For Sale, privately, my farm of 150 acres, just north of McKinney Station. Address or call on A. C. Dunn, at McKinney or B. Vanarsdale, at Stanford.

—The Richmond Clinch says that W. K. Oldham drove every rat from his place by mixing mustard with corn meal and distributing it freely about the premises.

—Cattle are steady in Cincinnati with prices running from 1½ to 4½; hogs have a fair local demand at 3½ to 4.30; sheep are active at 3 to 4 and lambs from 4½ to 6.35.

—Complaint comes from Illinois and Indiana that the protracted wet season is ruining the wheat and corn crops, and the same may be said of many parts of Kentucky, including this.

—A few days ago a St. Louis wool house purchased 60,000 pounds of fine grade Texas wool at 25¢ cents per pound—one of the largest sales of this grade of wool ever made for one shipment.

—A record of calving kept at the Nebraska experiment station showed that the average period of gestation was 281½ days for 21 males and 279½ for 16 females. The shortest period was 260 days and the longest 290.

—August Belmont led the list of winning owners at Brooklyn with \$36,580 to his credit, St. Carlo having won \$18,670 of this in one race. The Dwyers were second with \$20,765. Inspector B. was their largest winning horse.

—The harvest of Dakota this year promises to be 35,000,000 bushels of corn, 70,000,000 of wheat, 5,000,000 of flax, 10,000,000 of barley, 50,000,000 of oats, 5,000,000 of potatoes and 50,000 republican majority.—Denver Times.

—Gronkrows.—Fair crowd and 200 cattle, the latter selling at 2.20 to 3½ per lb; 27 head average 728 pounds sold at 2.74; 36 head weighing 800 pounds at 3.14, two-dear-olds at same price; calves from \$12 to \$14.25 per head.

—The annual sale of Belle Meade yearlings took place in New York Monday. Fifty-three head sold for \$36,175, an average of \$682. The highest price, \$3,500, was paid by the Dwyer Brothers for a bay colt, full brother to Miss Ford.

—At H. M. Van's sale at Independence, Mo., 26 female shorthorns averaged \$185.75, and 8 bulls \$137.50. John Hayes and C. C. Platter sold at Red Oak, Iowa, 30 females that averaged \$80 and 13 bulls at \$172.30. The Crickelshank bull, Prince of Orange, brought \$900.

—John Gilbert, the noted actor, died at New York, aged 79.

DANVILLE, BOYLE COUNTY.

—William Fox, aged 83 years, a native of Ireland and for many years a citizen of Boyle county, dropped dead Tuesday.

—B. Gusscock sold a few days ago to some Harrodsburg parties his last year's crop of tobacco, about 12,000 lbs. for 8 cents per lb. for the lot.

—Judging from the number and beauty of the girls and the gallant young men that are here to take part in the hop to-night it will be a grand success.

—The New York Novelty Co., after playing three nights here last week to small audiences went to pieces and had to beg the people for money on which to get out of town.

—Dr. Johnstone, assisted by other physicians performed a surgical operation on Mrs. Kittie Saunders Monday. They removed two tumors that had been giving her a great deal of trouble. She is doing fairly well.

—The dry goods merchants here have things down to a fine point in the way of making change. Pennies are used and change is made to a cent. One merchant ordered \$20 worth of coppers not long since. At first customers would hardly take them, but now they seem to think as much of them as nickels.

—Judging from the amount of twine the farmers are buying they expect to harvest their wheat soon, however they say if it does not quit raining they cannot cut it at all. In passing through the country I observe there is the smallest acreage of tobacco there has been for years. The man that has a good crop this year is in luck.

—Judge James H. Tinsley, his son Ed, Judge C. W. Metcalf and Prof. George H. Dains, all of Barbourville, are here to take in the commencement. Miss Carrie Stapp, of Chattanooga, is visiting Miss Mamie Dunn. Speed S. Fry, Jr., of Kansas City, is with his father. Miss Emma Sauley is visiting Mrs. James Christian. Misses Mattie Thompson and Mary C. Davis, of Harrodsburg, are visiting Mrs. Wm. Warren.

—The estate belonging to the Boling heirs was sold county court, Monday. The old residence on Walnut street was sold to John Forgarty for \$1,305. The adjoining lot was sold to Louis Cohn for \$1,100; the property on First street sold to Mrs. R. S. Russell for \$817; house on Green street to John Ricketts for \$276; H. H. Otter bought the tract of land consisting of 10 and 41-100 acres, adjoining his property, paying for it \$2,123.

—The commencement exercises of Centre College will begin to-night, Wednesday, with an oratorical contest between the literary societies of the College. Thursday will close the exercises. There are seven graduates this year. A great many visitors are in town—more than usual. The outlook for the next term of Centre College is better than for years. The president, Dr. Young, has met with great success and many new pupils will attend.

—Of the amateur judges at the Linton track, Col. Clark has little to say. He thinks that the rules of racing should be more rigidly enforced, and cited the case of Jockey Covington's riding on Orderly as an instance where a thorough investigation should have been held. He was one of the judges when the race in which Orderly ran was decided, but had no alternative when the other judges announced themselves as satisfied with Covington's explanation.—From a turf paper. One of our turfmen says: Col. Clark's clear sight should have caught Covington's ride on Harry Glenn, at the Louisville meeting; also some other riding there, then his censure would command due respect.

Flossie is 6 years old. "Mamma," she asked one day, "if I get married, will I have to have an old maid like pa?" "Yes," replied the mother with an amused smile.

"And if I don't get married will I have to be an old maid like Aunt Kate?" "Yes."

"Mamma"—after a pause—"it's a tough world on us women, ain't it?"—Binghamton Republican.

A loudly-attired negro got into a procession box at New York theatre last night and threw a magnificent bouquet to Miss Fannie Rice, one of the artists. There was a card bearing a message attached to the flowers. The lady very sensibly and fitly rebuked her Othello-tinted admirer by tossing the floral tribute to one side and the comedian stuck them in his belt. The audience jeered the presumptuous negro till he was fairly obliged to leave the theatre.—Chicago Mail.

It is claimed that Joe Blackburn's vigorous manipulation of Chandler's article helped the latter in his candidacy for re-election by the New Hampshire Legislature. In other words, Chandler waved his insulted ear before the legislators and they applied Senatorial salute to it. Only a Kentuckian could be expected to pull a man into the Senate by the ear.—Covington Commonwealth.

Four hundred monuments have been erected on the Gettysburg battlefield.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

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The signal defeat of prohibition in Pennsylvania Tuesday shows that the enlightened thought of the country is against summary laws of any kind. It was the eighth State to so express itself and in each the majority has been so overwhelming as to leave no doubt about the will of the people. The change will be made that the money of the liquor men did it, but it will hardly be claimed that there 220,000 men in Pennsylvania who can be bought up like cattle. That is the total vote against the amendment and the majority is stated at 188,440. Temperance men should not, however, be discouraged by this startling result. Experience has taught those who will take the trouble to investigate, that high license and stringent regulation, thoroughly enforced, is far more effective in dealing with the acknowledged evils of the liquor traffic, than prohibition either in constitution or statute. Practical men see this and are meeting the question in a business manner, displaying thereby more sense than sentiment, more temperance than fanaticism.

When a young woman at New Orleans was discovered by her family to be in a condition permissible only to married ladies, she laid her trouble on her cousin, Henri Favrot, who was compelled to marry her. He refused, however to live with her and the poor girl smarting under her ruin and the lie she had told, ended her earthly misery by suicide, leaving a letter saying that her husband was not the father of her unborn child nor in any way responsible for her trouble. She refused to divulge who was the guilty person and the secret was buried in her bosom. One more unfortunate has gone to her doom, while the author of her ruin goes free of punishment and lives to wreck the happiness, perhaps, of some other confiding woman. Society owes it to itself to correct this difference of responsibility, but it is not likely to do so as long as pure women permit such rakes to keep company with them.

In running a preacher for the legislature the prohibitionists violate no law either constitutional or statutory, as there is no inhibition against running any man, woman or child for anything in sight. They have no idea, of course, that they will elect him, or that it will ever become necessary for him to resign the God-given call to preach, which he claims, to take a political office, or they might have been more particular in their choice of a candidate. But as Bro. Montgomery claimed, they have studied the constitution and know what they are about, so it is useless to tell them that that instrument says no priest or preacher shall be eligible to the legislature, while he exercises the functions of his calling.

COLLECTOR FELAND says no democrat need apply for office under him. The remark seems to be uncalled for, since it is hardly supposable that a democrat worthy of the name would so far forget himself. This does not prevent them, however, from holding on to the offices they have as long as they can and to give up only when they are kicked out. It is no discredit to a man to be fired simply for political purposes and we hope every democrat store-keeper, granger and what not will wait for his walking papers and not aid the new collectors by resigning.

There is no telling what a man will come to that is mean enough to desert the democratic party. He is fit only for treason, stratagem and spoils and if he doesn't get the latter, he occasionally ends a miserable existence in suicide. Pat Ward, a well-known Irish politician, of Chicago, and a warm supporter of Tilden and Hendricks in 1876, killed himself a few days ago over disappointment at the failure of the president, to whose party he had deserted, to give him an office.

The convicts in the Eastern penitentiary of Pennsylvania have set the more favored of humanity an example of charity that ought not to go unheeded. Of their scanty earnings they have contributed \$522 to the Johnstown sufferers, while hundreds of localities upon which God has smiled have not given a cent.

RHODE ISLAND voted yesterday on the question whether the inoperative prohibition clause of her constitution shall be repealed and while there is no mistake about a majority of her people being for its repeal, the fact that it will require a two-thirds majority to change the law may continue it on the books.

This president has not named the district attorney for Kentucky, but we will wager two to one that George W. Jolly gets it. Judge Wickliffe's term of four years expired in May, but the term for which he holds a commission will not expire until January next.

T. S. GIVAN, editor of the Elizabeth-town Tidings, had his skull fractured by Will Stowers and his brother, because Mr. Givan voiced the sentiment of the community in demanding that the mysterious death of Mrs. Stowers be investigated by the grand jury. It will be remembered that Mrs. Stowers was found dead in her room a few weeks since with a bullet in her vitals. It was claimed that she had committed suicide, but suspicious circumstances pointed to her husband, Will Stowers, as her murderer. The demand for an investigation could not hurt the husband if not guilty, but his cowardly attack on the editor, who is old and in delicate health, has added to the belief that he is guilty and reduced the slim number of friends that have championed his cause since the death of the beautiful young wife. He is a drunken young brute apparently fit for any kind of crime.

Two circuit judges have in the last few weeks expressed themselves on the important matter of qualification of jurors after forming opinions based on newspaper reports. Judge Boyd, the mighty man of the mountains, says that a man who would form an opinion on any subject from newspaper statements is unfit for jury service, while Judge Morton, of Lexington, declares that one of the highest qualifications for a juror is the fact that he has formed an opinion from what he has read in a newspaper and that a man incapable of forming an opinion is not fit to be a juror. In the present state of matters, we are afraid today, of course, that Judge Boyd has erred in his opinion, but to a man under indictment it looks very much like Judge Morton's is the sensible and practical view of the subject.

The roughest law on the saloon-keepers has been passed and signed in Missouri. It is intended to curtail as much as possible the attractiveness of the saloons by making it a misdemeanor to keep pianos or any other musical instruments in them. Billiard tables, bowling alleys, pool tables, boxing or wrestling contests are also prohibited. This is a step in the right direction and if practical temperance men are permitted to meet the evil in a practical way, there will soon be every crumple of it possible.

Our pious president strains at a gnat and swallows an elephant. He would not start to the New York Centennial on Sunday, but waited until 1 A. M., Monday, yet he spends his Sundays recently in steamboat excursions on the Potomac and Chesapeake bay, thereby requiring dozens of men to break the Sabbath. Consistency is a jewel the g. s. of his g. f. does not seem to possess.

We have no such ambition, but it is pleasant indeed to have our old friend, J. P. Cozine, of the Shelby News, publish this: "We nominate W. P. Walton for President at the next meeting of the Association. He richly deserves this honor, not alone for the hard and thankless labors as secretary, but because he is one of the brightest and most fearless editors in the State."

The Sultan of Turkey has done a handsome thing in contributing \$10,000 for the relief of the Johnstown sufferers. The rich Queen of England and Empress of the British Possessions contented herself, it will be remembered, by merely cabling her sympathy, which doesn't count much in such an extremity as the people found themselves.

As we have heard nothing further about the Senatorial aspirations of Mr. L. F. Hubble, of Lancaster, we suppose he has concluded to let Judge Breckinridge have a walk-over for the nomination on the 20th. The democrats should bear in mind the action of the district committee and be prepared to conform to it on that day.

The toils are gathering closer and closer around Thos. O'Brien, the alleged murderer of his wife, and if Lexington is not treated to a hanging shortly it will be because the jury selected fails to do its duty. The circumstantial evidence of his guilt is so complete that not a link in the chain is missing.

The nomination of R. H. Tomlinson for the legislature from Garrard is a capital one. He is a capable man, a sound democrat and just such a man as is needed at Frankfort. The people of Garrard are no doubt of this opinion and will elect him by a rousing vote.

WANAMAKER draws the line at publishing a democratic newspaper. He has fired D. K. Weis, of the Ashland postoffice for that reason. So it will be seen that our friend James R. Marrs didn't quit the Advocate too soon for this Pharisaical and hypocritical administration.

His friends, and that includes every member of the K. P. A., will regret to learn that President E. Polk Johnson has been suffering intensely from congestion of the lungs since his return to Frankfort from Owensboro and pray for his speedy recovery.

FORAKER says he is not a candidate to succeed himself as governor of Ohio and will not accept the nomination. But Little Breches is somewhat of a liar himself and cannot always be taken at his word.

The majority against prohibition at ill-fated Johnstown was six, thereby showing that the people are satisfied that they have had enough water for the present.

A LIBEL SUIT against J. M. Huff, editor of the Ashland Republican, has just been decided in his favor, the jury returning a verdict of "not guilty" in one minute after going to their room. Most all such suits result that way, as no honest jury will ever punish a publisher for giving what he conceives to be well authenticated statements in good faith and without malice. The court of appeals, through Judge Bennett, who we suspect has a grievance against some newspaper, decides, however, that the simple publication of an article derogatory to the character of a man implies malice in itself, even if the editor published the communication as advertising matter.

E. E. ELLIS, of the Cairo Daily Telegraph, is publishing an exhaustive and entertaining series of letters telling what he saw and heard while a guest of the Kentucky Press Association.

The prohibitionists have nominated a democratic bolter named Navein Jessamine county. Under the circumstances his name is somewhat suggestive.

NEWS CONDENSED.

—John W. Grider has been appointed postmaster at Waco.

—G. W. Isaacs will take charge of the Woodstock postoffice.

—Six petitions for divorce were granted at Louisville Monday.

—The C. & O. will run a \$16 excursion from Louisville to Washington to-morrow.

—Among the new postmasters appointed Tuesday was James S. Oden, at Ashland.

—John Lewis, aged 40 and weighing 640 pounds, died at Elmira, N. Y., this week.

—Of 324 houses at Johnstown 285 were completely wrecked in the late catastrophe.

—The Kentucky Medical College at Louisville graduated 165 sawbones Wednesday night.

—Newton G. Moore murdered his young wife and committed suicide at Late City, Cal.

—John Urnstead, a well known tobacco man of Lexington has mysteriously disappeared.

—Two men were killed and 100 injured by the wreck of a work train near Birmingham, Ala.

—Judge Wm. Lindsay was nominated for State Senator at the Lawrenceburg convention Monday.

—During the week just closed the Bank of England received and retained \$40,250,000 in gold.

—Young Bates was held in \$1,000, which he has not given, for murdering John Bartleson at Monticello.

—The Central University, in its Louisville department, graduated 50 medical and 15 dental doctors this week.

—Thomas Heaton, aged 77, who had two sons to go by the same route, committed suicide at Millhale Saturday.

—The Western Union has absorbed the Baltimore & Ohio telegraph company and is again monarch of all it surveys.

—After a long delay the adjusters have agreed to give Jack Chinn \$20,000 of the \$22,000 insurance he held on his horse.

—Charles Dilger added further to his miserable record by assaulting his attorney, Ben Robbins, who, he claimed, had sold him out.

—The Virginia prohibitionists are still wiggling. They are to have a State convention in Lynchburg July 17 to nominate State candidates.

—Miss Mary Colter was found dead in Spencer county with a bullet in her head, fired from behind, by some scoundrel as yet unknown.

—Since August 3, 1887, \$171,207,200 worth of 4 and 4½ per cent. bonds have been purchased by the government, at a total cost of \$197,631,218.

—The governor has fixed July 31 as the day Dilger must die. He had already fixed that day for Stuart's execution, so Louisville will have a double hanging.

—George Rorer, Secretary of the Western Shooting League, while out hunting near Indianapolis was instantly killed by the accidental discharge of his gun.

—In a game of base ball at Sunbright, Tenn., Walter Staples, the umpire, stabled David Hall, a player, to death and escaped. Cause, a quarrel over the game.

—W. G. Overstreet has sold the Hart County News to J. E. Puckett and D. A. McCandless, of Manfordsville, who will remove the paper from Horse Cave to that place.

—George Hillyer, superintendent of the New York custom-house, is dead, aged 76 years. He was appointed to the position at the request of Daniel Webster, in 1844.

—Nathan Swartz, a young Jew who disgraced his family by marrying a prostitute, ended his miserable career by suicide when placed in the Louisville jail for forgery.

—Joseph Smith threw a rock at a passing passenger train on the Shenandoah Valley road in Virginia which rebounded against his head, killing him instantly we are glad to say.

—Mrs. Charlotte Allen, aged 70, living near Washington, Ind., has confessed the murder of her husband, whose body was found in September, 1886, tied to a tree, the throat cut from ear to ear.

—It is said that \$1,000,000 has been subscribed in San Francisco for the proposed cable between Honolulu and San Francisco, and that the work of laying the cable will be commenced within 18 months.

—Three men were killed in a wreck on the Pan Handle railroad near Steubenville, Ohio.

—John D. Rockefeller, the Standard Oil Croesus, whose income is said to be \$20,000,000 a year, was a bookkeeper in a country produce store in a little Ohio village 25 years ago.

—Antonio Riccio, an Italian, who was released from prison, having served a term for stabbing his wife, went home and crushed her skull with a flat iron, killing her instantly.

—Rev. R. W. Meninger, son of the Secretary of the Confederate Treasury, and rector of the high-toned Episcopal church in the town, is to be appointed postmaster of Charlestown, W. Va.

—Mrs. John Soapman, of Ashlar, has given birth to five children in the last 17 months, twins once and triplets the other day, the aggregate weight of the latter being 20½ pounds.—Spectator.

—The remains of John Sevier, Tennessee's first governor, were removed from an Alabama cottonfield and taken to Knoxville, where they will be reinterred. They had lain there 75 years.

—Buildings are springing up like magic at the boom town of Middleborough, Cumberland Gap. A large hotel, bakery, restaurant and a lively stable 37x100 feet were commenced last week.

—After three days' work a jury was obtained in the trial of O'Brien at Lexington for the atrocious murder of his sweetheart, Bettie Shea, and it is now in progress with a dozen of lawyers representing the accused.

—The Louisville & Nashville railroad is arranging to give every roller mill man employed in the Birmingham district, who has a family in Pennsylvania, a chance to go home this summer and spend a short while.

—A Culpepper county, Va., granite quarry secured the contract to furnish Louisville with 20,000 tons of granite, 10,000 lineal feet of curbing and 50,000 feet of flagging, at \$1.80, about \$2 per ton less than former prices.

—Miss Hattie Campbell shot and fatally wounded John Williams at Sardis, Miss., just after the benediction was pronounced at the church they were attending. She claimed that Williams had been talking bad about her.

—Cloverport is wild over its natural gas find. Trenton rock was struck Saturday night at a depth of 900 feet, and when the drill had penetrated it but six inches the gas began pouring out at the rate of half a million feet per day.

—A tumor weighing 11½ pounds was removed from Mrs. Mary Brown, a patient at the St. Joseph Infirmary, Louisville, and, strange, the woman is now able to sit up in her bed. The tumor had been growing since childhood.

—While bathing in the Genesee river with Sullivan and Muldoon, Martin Lutz, a young lawyer of Buffalo, was taken with cramps and drowned before the eyes of the great athletes, although they tried to rescue him at the peril of their lives.

—The third annual session of the Kentucky Chautauque Assembly will be held at Lexington, June 25 to July 5. A splendid programme has been prepared and low rates made for the visitors. The railroads will also make liberal reductions.

—The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad Company has executed a mortgage for \$150,000,000 to the United States Trust Company, of New York, which will be used in wiping out all other indebtedness and in building a double track.

—Heavy rain and wind storms have done much damage to growing crops and other property in Kansas. Rivers have risen far above their banks, flooding lowlands. Uniontown has been almost completely washed away and several lives have been lost there.

—There remains but about \$15,000 in the hands of the pension agent at Louisville to pay over \$200,000 in claims now due. In consequence of this there will be no new certificates or increases paid until the first installment of the appropriation for 1889-90 is received.

—During a most terrific storm, which passed over the western portion of Pulaski Tuesday, much stock was killed and Zion church was completely wrecked, as was the school-house in that district. The residence of Frank Phelps was unroofed and one end blown out.

—The railroads have made a rate of one fare for the round trip to teachers desiring to attend the annual meeting of the National Educational Association, which is to be held at Nashville, Tenn., July 16-20. Tickets will be good for return passage until September 10.

—Dan Roland, aged 25, entered the room of George O'Bannon in Owen county in the night time and after choking her and wrapping a sheet about her face, accomplished his hellish design and made his escape. The entire population turned out in search of him and a reward of \$500 has been offered for his capture.

—The Pennsylvania legislature adopted the amendment to repeal the law making the payment of a poll-tax requisite to voting, which has so long been in vogue there. Both the political parties worked for the repeal as the law was a big burden on them, having been obliged to pay the tax of over 100,000 voters yearly to secure their votes.

A prohibitionist friend writes us, asking why it is that if prohibition does not prohibit, the liquor men raise funds to defeat prohibitory legislation. Don't know friend, unless it is that the liquor men don't like to do a contraband business or surrender the traffic to the druggists.—Manchester News.

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PERSONAL POINTS.

Miss Iva Smiley is visiting friends in Boyle county.
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ellison were visiting Miss Mary Jones.
Mr. S. F. CARTER, of Texas, is visiting his uncle, Mr. Ed Carter.
Mr. G. T. HIGGINS, ex-sheriff of Garrard, was here yesterday.
Miss Lucy Duncan, of Wayne county, is visiting Mrs. T. D. Newland.
Mrs. CHAPMAN COLEMAN, of Mercer, is visiting relatives in this county.
D. R. CAMPBELL, of Stanford, was here on business.—Pineville Messenger.
Mrs. M. G. MONAGHAN, of Knoxville, has been visiting Mrs. Lewis Withers.
Miss MARGARET WOMACK, of Louisville, is visiting Mrs. W. B. McRoberts.
Mrs. H. W. FARRIS, of Junction City, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mark Hardin.
Joe P. BURTON is attending commencement exercises at Centre College, Danville.
Misses MAY HELM, Alpha Tyree and Annie Hale are visiting friends at Danville.
Miss VERA FOSTER and Amelia Pearson, of Harrodsburg, are visiting Mrs. A. K. Denny.
Mr. T. J. HATCHER left Wednesday with his family to visit relatives in Wayne county.
Geo. L. ELLIOTT, of Somerset, is canvassing our town in the interest of his washing machine.

Miss MARY HOOKER, of Sedalia, Mo., and Mrs. A. R. Denny, of Garrard, are visiting Mrs. J. S. Hooker.
Miss Lucy Tate has issued invitations to meet Misses Hardin and Braden at her home, Tuesday evening, June 25th.

Mr. A. T. NUNNELLY continues to suffer greatly with inflammatory rheumatism, which confines him to his bed.

MR. WALLER CHESNUTT, of Fort Scott, Kas., has returned home with his wife, who has been visiting here for some time.

Mr. G. H. PERKINS, who has been in bed for seven weeks with disease of the lungs, was well enough to drive to town yesterday.

CARROLL BAILEY is learning the drug business at Dr. Bourne's and Thomas Miller Owsley the grocery business at W. H. Higgins.

J. A. AMOS, of this county, graduated at Georgetown College this week and the Times says his oration on Byron and Goethe showed unusual care and thought in its preparation.

Miss ANNIE GREEN's name was unintentionally left out of the report in last issue. She wore white embroidered muslin with sash trimmings and was a picture of fresh and youthful loveliness.

JUDGE J. M. BARNETT, of Pulaski, was in town yesterday en route to Richmond for a talk with Collector Burnham for general storekeeper. He is a good republican and a clever man and Mr. Burnham will place the fair thing by him.

PAOR, S. J. PULLIAN passed home from his school at Falmouth this week. He had not heard of his election to the seminary here and of course could not decide at once. He will likely accept, however.

REV. J. A. BOGLE was down Tuesday looking much the worse from a long siege with a skin eruption that has literally tormented the life out of him at times. He wants if understood that it is not catching so nobody need run from him.

MR. A. A. LEWIS, of the Somerset Republican, passed here Wednesday, en route to Williamsburg. He is an applicant for deputy collector, with a good show of getting it. He deserves some of the pie for his services.

Gov. J. B. McCREARY and Senator Jno. Bennett, of Richmond, Hon. John D. White, of Louisville, Judge Vincent Boring, of London, and J. W. Fox, of Lexington, of the Cumberland Valley Land Company, met with the local directors here Wednesday night and transacted important business. The company has a large landed estate in Bell and Harlan counties.

CITY AND VICINITY.

MILK-SHAKERT ZIMMER'S.
Wing screens for doors and window at Sine & Menefee's.

A No. 1 second-hand Walter A. Wood binder for sale cheap. I. M. Bruce.

The tax books for 1889 are now ready. Everybody will please come forward and pay his taxes at once. T. D. Newland, Sheriff.

Jenks from the number of applications of shows to be booked for next fall and winter, the theatrical business will be about as much overdone as it was underdone last season. Walton's Opera House has already booked two minstrels and quite a number of other attractions.

ONE good second-hand mower for sale. Metcalf & Foster.

Scythes, snaths, cream freezers, water-coolers at T. R. Walton's.

R. C. WARREN will speak at the Court-House July court day, at 1 o'clock.

CALL RIGHT store and get binder twine and machine oil. Metcalf & Foster.

SPEAKING.—Hon. Fontaine Fox Bobbitt will speak at Embankment Station tonight, June 21. Ladies invited.

Lost.—A black silk purse on Crab Orchard pike near Mrs. Helm's place. Finder rewarded; return to this office.

The West Enders should turn out in force and give R. C. Warren a hearing tomorrow afternoon. Speaking at 2 o'clock.

Twine for binders and a number of brand new buggles for sale cheap. Call early and take first choice of the buggles. I. M. Bruce.

BIRTH.—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bryant, of Lexington, are rejoicing over their first born—James Robertson, as fine a youngster as ever saw the light. Their Lincoln county friends send congratulations.

The finding of four—five—six—seven—eight—leaved clovers is quite common this season. Any young lady bringing us a sample of either number will be entitled to a chance in the raffle off of our business manager.

The democrats of Wayne are going to nominate a candidate for the legislature next Monday and it is said that that old wheel-horse of democracy, like Shepperd, will be chosen. If he is the county is dead sure to be redeemed in August.

The Cumberland Valley Land Company is aiding in the glorious cause of educating the children in Bell and Harlan counties, if it does no other good. President Boring has just paid \$500 in taxes on its lands, principally for school purposes.

ADVERTISING brought Mr. A. M. Feland's horse home in a hurry. He was found on the pike near Turnersville by Mr. Goode, where he had evidently been left by some one who stole him for a ride, and returned to Mr. Feland Wednesday.

WHEAT is ready for the reaper, but the ground is so wet that the horses cannot be driven on it. The rains continue and every day sees a heavier one than the day before. Weeds are flourishing and in gardens and corn fields are choking out other vegetation.

The Q. & C. has our thanks for a new folder, which not only gives a map of the U. S., showing the road's situation and connections, but a county map of the States traversed by the system, together with more detailed information than can be found in an atlas. It is both valuable and instructive and can be had free by addressing D. G. Edwards, G. P. A., Cincinnati.

Said a prohibitionist the other day, in response to the inquiry why he was opposed to a re-submission of the prohibitory law, "Because I have grave doubts that it will pass next time and I want it to remain as it is." And yet his party declares in favor of a majority rule, provided always they are in the majority. The "I am Hollar than Thon" party is nothing if not inconsistent.

As Mr. TOM CLIFFORD, who is assisting Chief Dispatcher Florence at Rowland was attempting to get on the passenger train Monday night, just as it was moving off, he lost his hold and fell between the train and the platform. It was a narrow escape for him and had he not remained perfectly still he would have been killed. He was badly bruised up anyway and since has had to use a crutch.

The Cincinnati papers say that G. A. Richards, of Mt. Salem, was steered against Ryan's miserable dive in that city and being pined with liquor was robbed of \$50 in cash, his watch and chain and a check for \$400. When Mr. Richards came to his senses he went for Ryan, who returned the watch and chain, but claimed that Richards had spent the money. Richards knew better than that and on his oath Ryan was arrested and lodged in jail.

Spot FROM AMATEUR.—As young Kirkpatrick and Charley Dawes were driving along the Somerset pike a few mornings since, some three miles from town, they were shot at from ambush, one shot only from the gun striking Kirkpatrick on the hand, inflicting a slight wound. As they were getting out of the buggy to investigate the matter, Charles Ware, a reputable citizen of the Maywood neighborhood, came out of the bushes from whence the shot came. He claimed that he was working a short distance away and hearing the report of a gun came to see what was the matter. The young men charged him with the shooting and insisted that he go to his home "only a few hundred yards distant, and bring his gun down to see if it had been recently fired. He left and returned in a half hour with his gun, which showed that it had been discharged only a short while. They then came to Stanford and ordered Ware arrested. This was done, and at his trial Tuesday he was held over till circuit court in \$100 bond, which he readily gave. Dawes claims that Ware has an ill-feeling for him and has frequently made threats toward him.

The Commencement Hop at Danville Wednesday night was very largely attended from here and elsewhere and proved a memorable occasion. Eichhorn furnished the music.

This sensible move will be appreciated by the traveling public. The Courier-Journal says: Heretofore the Louisville & Nashville railroad has forbidden any passenger to ride on a freight train, but General Manager Metcalf has issued an order allowing freight conductors to permit passengers holding first-class, full-fare tickets to ride in cabooses.

BEEBA COLLEGE Commencement was attended by much drunkenness among the colored visitors and Sheriff Bales and six deputies failed to maintain order. A desperate fight occurred between Sam Ellis, colored, and Sam Rose, white, of Rockcastle, in which Ellis was fairly riddled with bullets, and will die. Robert Ramsey, a bystander, received a stray bullet in his knee, making a very severe wound. Tom Billingham, colored, was arrested for selling illicit whiskey. The numerous prisoners have been lodged in jail at Richmond.

CHURCH AFFAIRS.

—Eld. J. Aug. Williams will preach for Mr. Gibson next Sunday.

—The Georgetown Christian Church has given over \$500 to missions this year.—Times.

—Dr. Morris Evans will conduct the Park Hill Camp Meeting, which begins July 25 and lasts 12 days.

—The protracted meeting at Kingston by Rev. Preston Blake and Prof. James Rice closed with 11 additions.—Richmond Climax.

—Eld. J. G. Livingston will preach at Preachersville school-house at 11 o'clock Sunday morning and at the usual time for services Sunday night.

—The American Baptist Union collected last year \$415,144.77. During the same year it expended for carrying on the missionary work under its care \$423,318.33.

—Elder Zachary E. Sweeney, a native of Casey county and brother of Eld. Jno. S. and others of a talented family, has been appointed by the president to be consul-general at Constantinople.

—The meeting at the Baptist church closed on Saturday with an addition of 40. Two others had been received just before Mr. Hale came and one joined the church on Sunday, making a total of 43.—Winchester Sun.

—The Baptist Association, in session at Maysville, elected Rev. F. S. Bagby, of Frankfort, moderator and decided to meet next year at Owensboro. The preachers had heard how the little city treated the press gang and they want to try it on themselves.

—"I would not resign my call to preach for the presidency of the United States, much less for a seat in the legislature," was what a thoroughly consecrated man of God said to us the other day, and he belongs to the same church that Bro. Montgomery does, too.

—Speaking of an alleged sanctified preacher now holding forth there, the Henderson Gleaner says: "There is serious apprehension that Bro. Niles will either burst a blood vessel or a belly band before he ceases to 'Praise the Lord.' It is painful to see under what a strain he labors. His face under severe strain becomes of a crimson hue."

—A large delegation of distinguished ministers of the Presbyterian Church are attending the State Evangelical Association, in session at Lexington. Rev. Ben Helm is among the number. The object of the meeting is to systematize and add a new zeal to the evangelical work in Kentucky, organized by the Synod eight years ago for the purpose of spreading the gospel in the mountain counties of the State.

—In a private letter from Falcon (J. Soule Smith) he says: Your reference to Bro. Barnes' recent lectures at Lexington is eminently just and shows how little his pretended admirers really care for him. I heard one of his lectures and while I take no stock in his theory, I am sure it was better worth hearing than others for which people pay as much as a dollar. He is trying to make some money legitimately and gives more than the money's worth; so he ought to be encouraged.

LANCASTER, GARRARD COUNTY.

—A call is made on the republicans to meet at the court-house Monday, June 24th, to select delegates to the State convention at Lexington July 4th.

—The barley and wheat harvest is on hand, but the crops are not very promising. Together with the new insect the English sparrow and the devil, the farmers are having a pretty hard time.

—The legislative race has boiled up in a new place. In addition to Tomlinson and Berkele, we have another in the person of Charles F. Anderson, of color, who announced himself publicly yesterday. He claims to be an independent republican.

—The News of to-day reproduces a synopsis of the great sermon preached by Dr. Lockwood, of the First Baptist Church, Cincinnati, on the Conemaugh disaster. All lovers of the truth should read it. Copies may be had free by applying to the News office.

—Gov. Buckner having fixed Wednesday, instead of Friday, as the day for the hanging of Dilger and Smart, the Louisville Times claims to have given him the tip as to the day. When Hon. M. H. Owsley was judge in this district, the

sentence of death was passed upon two or three individuals, and the judge always fixed Wednesday as the day for the execution. He claimed that he would not have it occur on Friday, as that was the day of the crucifixion of Christ. He did not know that the day he appointed, Wednesday, was really the day on which the Savior was crucified.

The Rev. Mr. Wilgus—I hope you and Bro. Wiggs became fully reconciled before he died. Deacon Polworthy—O, yes. I went around and told him that as he was about to pass in his checks I would fully forgive him for all the dirty tricks he had ever done me, though I didn't presume to say that the Lord would do so, and (gloriously) you ought to have seen how the old sinner looked.

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—The Kansas City Derby was won by Le Premier, six lengths ahead of Gladstone, in 2:14. It was worth \$1,775 to the winner.

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